DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

		Average for the past five years.	*Current.*	
Price of food grains—Rice	...	6·5	7 to 7·25	seers per rupee.
Ragi	...	14·6	13·50 to 14	

Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, is sold at 7·75 seers per rupee.

Agricultural operations.—Fields are being ploughed.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being manured and ploughed in parts of Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks.

Standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy, sugar-cane, til, haraka and cholum are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar-cane in parts of Dodballapur Taluk; til in parts of Anekal and Kankanhalli Taluks; cholum in Kankanhalli Taluk, and potato in Devanhalli Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of Hoskote and Devanhalli Taluks, yield 12 annas and 4 to 8 annas respectively

10. Prospects of the season are fair, but rain is very badly wanted in almost all the taluks for the standing crops and for ploughing operations. Food stocks are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for the prevalence of small-pox and measles in parts of Hoskote Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for rinderpest prevalent in some villages attached to the Harohalli hobli, Kankanhalli Taluk, and in parts of Closepet Sub-Taluk and for 'Neradi' roga in parts of Closepet Sub-Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water, pasture and fodder are availaole.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being manured and ploughed all over the district.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Haraka, samé, sajje, til and ground-nut in Kolar Taluk; samé in Chintamani Taluk; paddy, gingelly and samé in Malur Taluk; punaji paddy in Srinivaspur Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Vaisakhi paddy in Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks; yield 4 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for small-pox in Malur town and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient in all the taluks, except in Chikballapur town and parts of Chikballapur Taluk, where water scarcity is felt to some extent.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Irrigation ragi in Maddagiri, Sira and Pavagada; black and green gram in Gubbi; ground-nut in Gubbi and Turuvekere; til in Gubbi; haraka in Tiptur and Pavagada; togari and castor in Tiptur.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in all the taluks, except in Kunigal and Turuvekere, and sugar-cane in Kunigal and Turuvekere.

Condition of crops.—Good in Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi, Tiptur, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere; fair in Tumkur, Maddagiri and Pavagada; crops in a few places of the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are on the whole good. Food grains are available. There prices are almost the same as in the previous week.

11. Except for small-pox in a few villages of the Tiptur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Water and fodder are fairly available in Pavagada, and they are available in sufficient quantities in the other taluks of the district.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Seringapatam, Hunsur, Mandya, Krishnarajpete and Mandya Taluks.

Crops sown.—Ragi in parts of the Heggaddevankote Taluk; haraka in parts of the Malvalli Taluk; til in parts of the Heggaddevankote and Mandya Taluks; and cholum in parts of the Mandya Taluk.

State of standing crops is reported to be good in parts of the Mysore, Seringapatam, Yedatore, Gundlupet, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks; fair in parts of the Heggaddevankote Taluk; but want of rain is felt in parts of the Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Gundlupet, Nanjangud T.-Narsipur and Malvalli Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of the Mandya Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore, Hunsur and Nanjangud Taluks, public health is generally good. Cholera has abated in the Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks.

12. Except for 'Dod Roga' in parts of the Mysore, Hunsur and Krishnarajpete Taluks, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, togari and castor in Hassan Taluk; paddy in Manjarabad Taluk; paddy and ragi in Arkalgud Taluk; sugar-cane, paddy and ragi in Belur Taluk; sugar-cane and kar paddy in Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks; sugar-cane ragi and paddy in the Alur Sub-Taluk are all reported to be in good condition. Ragi, avare, togari, til and jola in Hole-Narsipur Taluk; black and green grams, jola, til and chillies in Arsikere Taluk; paddy, gidda ragi, til, jola, black and green grams in Channarayapatna Taluk are reported to be in want of rain.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good, but rain is wanted all over the district.

11. Except for cholera in parts of Hassan, Arsikere, Channarayapatna, Hole Narsipur and Arkalgud Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Fodder and water are available. Cattle are healthy except in one village in the Alur Sub-Taluk, where 'Dod Roga' is said to be prevailing and the Assistant Veterinary Inspector has been asked to inoculate cattle.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and prepared for sowing seeds, but the absence of rain in the maidan taluks has retarded progress of operations.

Crops sown.—Paddy is being sown in parts of Sorab, Sagar, Nagar, and Tirthahalli Taluks.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar and Nagar Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk and kar paddy in Sagar Taluk are all reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available. Rain is wanted in all parts of the district.

11. Public health is generally good. Stray cases of cholera are reported to prevail in a few villages of the Benkipur hobli of the Shimoga Taluk, and Sunkadakattte village of Honnali Taluk.

12. Water and fodder are available in sufficient quantities. Rinderpest prevails in parts of Tirthahalli and Shikarpur Taluks.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Wet lands are being ploughed in Koppa, Yedahalli and Sringeri.

Crops sown.—Paddy and ragi in Mudgere.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, kar paddy, ragi, avare, onions, garlic, gingelly, and jola in Kadur; sugar-cane in Tarikere, Yedahalli and Sringeri; kode paddy in Mudgere are reported to be in fair condition. Rain is urgently needed for the standing crops especially in the maidan taluks.

Crops harvested.—Kode paddy in Mudgere.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Rain is said to be wanted urgently for agricultural operations in the maidan taluks. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in Tegur village of the Chikmagalur Taluk and cholera in certain villages of the Kadur Taluk, and in Gowthvatti village, of the Kasaba hobli, Tarikere Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for 'Foot and mouth' disease in the town of Sringeri, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*, such as paddy, sugar-cane, sesamum, togari, castor, ragi, jola, haraka, green gram and tobacco are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Togari and jola in the Chitaldrug Taluks; ragi in the Challakere Taluk; Sesamum and cotton in Davangere and Jagalur Taluks; castor in the Jagalur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Challakere, Hiriyur and Hosdurga Taluks, yield 8 to 16 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE,
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